

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT				1. CONTRACT ID CODE		PAGE OF PAGES	
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2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 0001		3. EFFECTIVE DATE 09-Apr-2001		4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO. STARS		5. PROJECT NO.(If applicable)	
6. ISSUED BY U.S. ARMY SPACE COMMAND SMDC-AR-CM C. ALKHAFI (719) 554-8827 1670 N. NEWPORT RD., STE 211 COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80916-2749		CODE DASG62		7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than item 6) See Item 6		CODE	
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., Street, County, State and Zip Code)				X		9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. DASG62-01-R-0001	
				X		9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 23-Mar-2001	
						10A. MOD. OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO.	
						10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 13)	
CODE		FACILITY CODE					
11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offer <input type="checkbox"/> is extended, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended by one of the following methods: (a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning <u>1</u> copies of the document; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN THE REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.							
12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)							
13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS. IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.							
A.THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.							
B.THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(B).							
C.THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:							
D.OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)							
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.							
14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)							
The purpose of this amendment is to provide clarifications and revisions to Solicitation DASG62-01-R-0001, as outlined below. Additionally, questions and answers resulting from the issuance of the final solicitation are provided. Change pages are provided with "change bars" in the margins to identify revised areas.							
1. Replace Appendix A, page 11 dated 03/23/01 with Appendix A, page 11 dated 04/05/01; 2. Section K, Clause 52.209-5 CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, PROPOSED SUSPENSION, PROPOSED DEBARMENT AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS (JANUARY 2001), Page 31 & 32 of 52; 3. Section L 10. PROPOSAL PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS, C. DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS, PARAGRAPH 6. Page 39 of 52; 4. Section L 10. PROPOSAL PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS, E. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS, 6. PRICE PROPOSAL, (a)(9), Page 45 of 52; 5. Section L 10. PROPOSAL PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS, E. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS, 6. PRICE PROPOSAL, (a)(9)(c) General Information & Instructions for Completing Attachment 4, Pricing Formats, (3) Page 46 of 52; 6. Replace Attachment 2, DD254. DATE AND TIME FOR RECEIPT OF PROPOSALS REMAINS UNCHANGED. PROSPECTIVE OFFERORS ARE REMINDED TO ACKNOWLEDGE THIS AMENDMENT WHEN SUBMITTING THEIR PROPOSAL. <small>Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.</small>							
15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)				16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)			
				CAROL D. ALKHAFI / CONTRACTING OFFICER			
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR		15C. DATE SIGNED		16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA		16C. DATE SIGNED	
_____ (Signature of person authorized to sign)				BY _____ (Signature of Contracting Officer)		09-Apr-2001	

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B. To execute the above, the following is provided:

B.1. Appendix A, page 11, dated 03/23/01 is hereby replaced with Appendix A, page 11, dated 04/05/01, as attached. Section 2.21 Subject Matter Expert is added to Appendix A.

2.21 Subject Matter Expert

2.21.1 Typical Duties: Provides "Gray Beard" advisory, consulting, and senior executive level interface coordination services in support of Battle Lab initiatives as specifically requested by the government. Works directly with executive and senior leadership levels of the government and industry to coordinate and resolve highly complex issues and challenges. Collects and analyzes data on technical issues, national policies, and applicable regulations and statutes for use in Battle Lab long range planning and execution of special projects.

2.21.2 Qualifications: The Subject Matter Expert shall possess the following minimum qualifications:

2.21.3 Shall have a Master's degree and at least 20 years experience in national policy development and executive leadership (e.g. defined in U.S government as General Officer level or civil service equivalent), and positions that require specific expertise in the Space Product arena; Weather, Terrain, Environmental Monitoring (WTEM); Positioning, Navigation and Timing; Reconnaissance, Intelligence, Surveillance and Target Acquisition (RISTA); missile defense; space control; satellite communications; Information Operations; space integration; and Command & Control Battlefield Visualization (C2BV); or have a PhD and at least 15 years experience in any combination of the disciplines addressed above.

B.2. Section K2., Clause CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, PROPOSED SUSPENSION, PROPOSED DEBARMENT AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS (JANUARY 2001), (Note: this clause starts on the bottom of page 31 of 52 and continues on page 32 of 52), the change is to add (D) and (E) to this clause, page 32 of 52 is changed as follows:
(Revised Page 32 of 52 is provided as an attachment)

FROM:

- **52.209-5 CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, PROPOSED SUSPENSION, PROPOSED DEBARMENT AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS (JANUARY 2001)**

(NOTE: Applies to contracts expected to exceed \$100,000.)

(a) (1) The Offeror certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that -

(i) The Offeror and/or any of its Principals --

(A) Are [], are not [] presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency;

(B) Have [], have not [], within a three-year period preceding this offer, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, state or local) contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and

(C) Are [], are not [] presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity with, commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subdivision (a)(1)(i)(B) of this provision.

(ii) The Offeror has [], has not [], within a three-year period preceding this offer, had one or more contracts terminated for default by any Federal agency.

(2) "Principals" for the purposes of this certification, means officers; directors; owners; partners; and, persons having primary management or supervisory responsibilities within a business entity (e.g., general manager, plant manager, head of a subsidiary, division, or business segment, and similar positions).

THIS CERTIFICATION CONCERNS A MATTER WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF AN AGENCY OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE MAKING OF A FALSE, FICTITIOUS, OR FRAUDULENT CERTIFICATION MAY RENDER THE MAKER SUBJECT TO PROSECUTION UNDER SECTION 1001, TITLE 18, UNITED STATES CODE.

(b) The Offeror shall provide immediate written notice to the Contracting Officer if, at any time prior to contract award, the Offeror learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

(c) A certification that any of the items in paragraph (a) of this provision exists will not necessarily result in withholding of an award under this solicitation. However, the certification will be considered in connection with a determination of the Offeror's responsibility. Failure of the Offeror to furnish a certification or provide such additional information as requested by the Contracting Officer may render the Offeror nonresponsible.

(d) Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render, in good faith, the certification required by paragraph (a) of this provision. The knowledge and information of an Offeror is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

(e) The certification in paragraph (a) of this provision is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making an award. If it is later determined that the Offeror knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Government, the Contracting Officer may terminate the contract resulting from this solicitation for default.

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B.3. Section L10. PROPOSAL PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS, C. DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS, PARAGRAPH 6., page 39 of 52 is changed as follows:
 (Revised Page 39 of 52 is provided as an attachment)

FROM:

6. The Offerors shall submit the proposal utilizing virus free Microsoft Office 2000. The price data shall be provided in Excel 2000 (Office 2000) format with narrative information in Word 2000 (Office 2000) format and clearly titled. If files contain links, the links must be intact and maintained through all revisions. Spreadsheets should be easily trackable. None of the files submitted shall have any read/write/ password protection. INCLUDE ALL FORMULAS IN YOUR SPREADSHEETS. INCLUDE NOTES TO ADD CLARITY AND UNDERSTANDING OF FORMULAS/ENTRIES.

TO:

6. The Offerors proposal shall be virus free and compatible with Microsoft Office. The price data shall be provided in a form compatible with Microsoft Excel format with narrative information compatible with Microsoft Word format and clearly titled. If files contain links, the links must be intact and maintained through all revisions. Spreadsheets should be easily traceable. None of the files submitted shall have any read/write/ password protection. INCLUDE ALL FORMULAS IN YOUR SPREADSHEETS. INCLUDE NOTES TO ADD CLARITY AND UNDERSTANDING OF FORMULAS/ENTRIES.

B.4. SECTION L10. PROPOSAL PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS, E. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS, 6. PRICE PROPOSAL, (a)(9), page 45 of 52.
 (Revised Page 45 of 52 is provided as an attachment)

FROM:

The Price Proposal submitted shall reflect a proposed price based on the Government labor categories estimated direct productive person hours (DPPH) and government estimated travel and materials) reflected in Section J, Attachment 4. The Price Proposal shall reflect on-site and off-site or high cost center rate differences if the contractor intends to offer and bill at different rates for the same labor category. Any labor categories included in the Price Proposals beyond those identified in Attachment 4 must be explained in the proposal. Estimated cost of material and travel identified in Section J, Attachment 4 are in the direct performance of tasks issued as a part of the resultant contract. The offeror shall identify any burdens it will apply for reimbursement of actual costs for material and travel and confirm the burdens are consistent with its cost accounting practices and/or cost disclosure statement. Any other direct costs (ODCs) that the offeror might identify above and beyond this estimate must be explained in the proposal. The offeror shall include locations or cost center explanations to support the rates proposed (e.g., off-site or high cost center rates for personnel who will be working in Washington DC; Crystal City, VA; etc.)

TO:

The Price Proposal submitted shall reflect a proposed price based on the Government labor categories estimated direct productive person hours (DPPH) and government estimated travel and materials reflected in Section J, Attachment 4. *The Price Proposal shall reflect rates for work at the contractor's facility. If the government chooses to furnish facilities under specific task orders, then consideration for those government furnished resources will be negotiated with the Task Order Proposal (TOP). Estimated cost of material and travel identified in Section J, Attachment 4 are in the direct performance of tasks issued as a part of the resultant contract. The offeror shall identify any burdens it will apply to reimbursement of actual costs for material and travel and confirm the addition of burdens is consistent with its cost accounting practices and/or cost disclosure statement. Any other direct costs (ODCs) that the offeror might identify above and beyond this estimate must be explained in the proposal. The offeror shall include cost center explanations to support the rates proposed (e.g., high cost center rates for personnel who will be working in Washington DC; Crystal City, VA; etc.)*

This sentence was deleted from the paragraph:

Any labor categories included in the Price Proposals beyond those identified in Attachment 4 must be explained in the proposal.

B.5. SECTION L10. PROPOSAL PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS, E. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS, 6. PRICE PROPOSAL, (a)(9)(c) General Information & Instructions for Completing Attachment 4, Pricing Formats, (3), Page 46 of 52.

(Revised Page 46 of 52 is provided as an attachment)

FROM:

(3) The Total DPPH represented in Attachment 4, Table 4, represent the maximum labor hours by labor category to be required to fulfill efforts executed under this contract. The labor hours allocated in each labor category are estimates for pricing and evaluation purposes. The offeror shall price all labor hours by labor category for each fiscal year and surge. The offeror must propose against the exact number of hours by each labor category for each fiscal year and surge.

TO:

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B.6. Attachment 2, DD254 is hereby replaced in its entirety with Attachment 2, DD254, as attached.

B.7. STARS Questions and Answers – April 5, 2001, Reference Final RFP, is provided as an attachment.

C. All other conditions remain unchanged.